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For The Northern Mariana Islands
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10 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
11 FOR THE
12 NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS

13 IOTA PARTNERS, LTD.,

14 Plaintiff,

15 vs.

16 SMITHBRIDGE GUAM, INC.,

17 Defendant.
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CIVIL ACTION NO. 07-0015

APPLICATION TO APPEAR *PRO HAC*
VICE AND DESIGNATION OF LOCAL
COUNSEL; CONSENT TO
DESIGNATION

19 Thomas M. Tarpley ("Applicant") hereby submits his Application to appear before this
20 Court and participate in the above captioned case:
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22 1. Applicant's office address is The Thomas McKee Tarpley Law Firm, Top Floor, GCIC
23 Professional Building, Suite 904, Hagatna, Guam 96910. Applicant's residence address is 109
24 Sanhilo Circle, Piti, Guam.

25 2. He is a graduate of Gonzaga University Law School in 1981.

26 3. He has been admitted to practice in the following courts on the dates indicated:
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Court Admissions:

State of Washington, 1981

FSM and Phonpei State, 1985

Trust Territory High Court, 1985

Territory of Guam, 1991

9th Circuit Court of Appeals, 1989

United States Supreme Court, 2005

4. Applicant is in good standing and eligible to practice in all courts to which he has been admitted except the State of Washington where the applicant currently is on inactive status.


5. Applicant is not currently suspended or disbarred in any court.

6. Applicant has not previously made a *pro hac vice* application in this Court.

7. For his designation of local counsel, Applicant states: John D. Osborn of Carlsmith Ball LLP is admitted to practice before this Court and is in good standing. Mr. Osborn's phone number and local office address are listed on the first page of this application.

THE THOMAS MCKEE TARPLEY
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DATED: Saipan, MP, September 4, 2008.


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CONSENT TO DESIGNATION

I hereby consent to my designation by attorney Thomas M. Tarpley as local counsel in
the above captioned matter.

CARLSMITH BALL LLP

DATED: Saipan, MP, September 4, 2008.

/s/ John D. Osborn
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